Prospectus.

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INCORPORATED, UNDER THE INDIAN COM-

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Divided into 6,250 Shares of \$20 each,

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YAP KWAN SENG, Esc., of Kwala Lum-

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MEMSERS RODYK & DAVIDSON,

_ Auditorays

ALEXANDER JAMES GUNN, Esq.,

Accountant, Singapore

General Agents:

MESSES. W. R. SCOTT & Co., Merchants,

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Intimations.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-First Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above

Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE.

Victoria, Hongkond, son MONDAY, the 5th Proximo, at 4 o'Clock p.m., for the

purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to

30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

A. S. GARFIT,

Acting Secretary.

will be CLOSED from the 23rd Instant to

HINA MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVI

DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1886.

INTEREST due and DRAWN BONDS

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Hongkong, August 26, 1887.

Hongkong, May 3, 1887.

NOTICE.

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JOHN WALTER,

Acting Chief Manager.

RUSSELL & Co.

General Managers.

GATION COMPANY'S

the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, August 13, 1887.

By Order,

day of September, 1887.

31st August, 1887.

1st September, 1887.

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Singapore.

GLASS, Esq., (Merchant), Singapore.

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PORD & Co., and KELLY & Co.

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CORPORATION.

Hongkong, Seatember 1, 1884.

Notices of Firms.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned begs to notify that he

of the Corporation.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

7 NOTICE

Firm per Procuration from this date.

TATE Have authorized Mr. A. MACCLY.

VV. MONT to Sign the Name of our

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Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1679

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1887.

Business Notices.

Autumn 1887.

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J. COOK, Proprietor,

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ORDINARY General MEETING will be held at the Company's Office, V-E-NTILATED BILLIARD ROOM. Praya, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 12th TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.

September, 1887, at Eleven o'Clock in the WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERE BEST QUALITY ONLY. Forenoon, when the Special Resolution Hongkong, April 1, 1887. passed at the Extraordinary Meeting held To-day will be submitted for Confirmation.

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receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1885,

Intimations. WANTED.

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日五十月七年亥丁

Shipping.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK Steamers.

Intimations.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

By Order of the Board of Directors;

CORPORATION.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-

Year ending 30th June last, at

Hongkong, August 29, 1887.

quested to apply for WARRANTS.

Hongkong, August 27, 1887.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

JOHN WALTER,

Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 347.

THE following Particulars of SALE of

L CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION

to be held on the Spet, on MONDAY, the 5th day of September, 1887, 4t 3 p.m., are

FREDERICK STEWART:

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. THE DIVIDEND of 61 PER CENT. or \$8,121 per Shane for the Six Months ended 30th June, 1887, declared at To-day's Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting, will be pay-The Steamship

Captain T. S. GARDNER,
will be despatched for
the above Perts on SATURDAY, the 3rd able at the Premises of the Hongkong and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after TUESDAY, the 30th August, and September, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised. Shareholders are requested to apply for For Freight or Passage, apply to

WARRANTS at the Company's OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, Hongkong. DAVID SASSOON; SONS & Co. Hongkoug, August 31, 1887.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. - FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

The Co.'s Steamship Captain HALL, will be despatched for the above the Rate of £1 10/ (ONE POUND AND TEN. Ports on SATURDAY, the 3rd Instant, at

SHILLINGS STERLING) per SHARE of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 29th August current, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are re-For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, Soptember 1, 1887.

> FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship Captain F. Schulz, will be despatched for the

above Port on SATURDAY, the 3rd Inst.; For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1687. THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT) AND MELBOURNE. 1 Taking through Cargo for QUEENSLAND PORTS. ADELAIDE, TASMANIA. NEW ZEALAND, &c.)

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> NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED FOR AMOY, The Co.'s Steamship Capt. HOUTHOFF, will be despatched as above on will leave for the above

MONDAY, the 5th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, September 1, 1887.

FOR MANILA FIA AMOY, The Spanish Steamer ZAVALA, Master, will be

despatched as above on MONDAY NEXT, the 5th Instant, at 4 e'Clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1887.

THE OHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship

Ports on MONDAY, the oth Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. - General Managers. Hongkong, September 1, 1887.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The Steamship

CLARK, Commander, will P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Be despatched for the Hongkong, August 27, 1887. above Ports on MONDAY, the 5th Prox. For Freight or Passage, apply to -

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, August 30, 1887. . 1657

UNION LINE. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

loor of Building recently occupied by The Steamship Yorkshire,
Captain Annold, will be
despatched for the above These Premises are well adapted for Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th September,

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, August 29, 1887.

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FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo de Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW as Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

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Captain Bigley, will be

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The Stermship Captain ELLIS, will b despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant,

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to-

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and Passage, apply to

Hongkong, August 27, 1887. TOCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. The Co.'s Steamship -Captain Chrimes, will be despatched as above on

RIDAY, the 9th September.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, August 29, 1887.

STEAM TO YOKORAMA, VIA NAGA-- SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

places on SATURDAY, 10th September, E. L. WOODIN,

Acting Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, August 27, 1887. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

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Steamship

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Notices to Consignees.

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Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

Overland Ohing Mail, and Ohing Review,

Hongkong, May 25, 1887.

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E. B. WOLFF. Hongkong, August 31, 1887. 1663

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Gardner. - David Sassoon, Sons & Co. TARAPACA, British steamer, Capt. John E. McArthur. -Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP SAGRALIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ex Steamship Tamise Antwerp ex Steamship Polaro, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immedi-

stely after landing. Optional Cargo will beforwarded on, unless intlimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Thursday), the 1st Instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned -Goods remaining unclaimed after Web-NESDAY, the 7th Sept., 1887, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 10th September, 1887, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPRAUX, Hongkong, September 1, 1887.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. TANTALLON. FROM LONDON.

PENANG AND SINGAPORE. YONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowna of the Kownoon WHARP & GODOWN Co. at Kowloon, whence

and or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining after the 3rd Proximo will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent. per package per day. All Claims against the Steamer must be. presented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd Proxime, or they will not be re-

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.-

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Hosperia, Capt. CHRISTIANSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requestedto send in their Rills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 1st Instant. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kow-

LOON PIER AND GODOWN Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Inst.

will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and-damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th Inst. at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Agents. Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1668

To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOL

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hannis, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, September 2, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

- FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rate NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN; HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Jackson, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 0th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLUMBO, PONDICHERRY,

MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ,

PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND

BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA,

OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP

N THURSDAY, 14 15th September,

at Noon, the Company's Steamship

DJEMNAM, Commandant VAQUIER, with

MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and

OARGO, will leave this Port for the above

Cargo and Species will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-

copled in transit through Marseilles for the

principal places of Europe.

Company's Office.

Hongkong, September 2, 1887.

HAVRE, BORDEAUX,

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

-- MARSEILLES, AND PORTS

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, STEAMSHIP PORT AUGUSTA Hongkong, September 2: 1887.

FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES.

Idstant, at Daylight.

formed that all Goods, are being landed at their risk into the Godowiis of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

l'o-day's Advertisements.

COMPANY, LIMITED,

FOR CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.

instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, Soptember 2, 1887.

The Co.'s Steamship

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL

Captain Willound, will I

4 p.m. TO MORROW, the 3rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, September 2, 1887.

TUESDAY, the 6th Instant.

OURAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

For Freight or Passage, apply to .

Hongkong, September 2, 1887.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS - MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

FOR HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA.

J. S. Hogo, Commander, will be despatched for

ARNITOLD, KARRERG & Co.

the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Honzkong, September 2, 1887.

The Co.'s Steamship

· General Managers.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 9th Instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day. - All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 9th Instant, or they will not be re-

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, September 2, 1887.

SHIPPING ARRIVALS. September 1, 1887 :-

Danube, British stonmer, 561, J. Fowler, Haiphong Aug. 30, General. -A. R. MARRY. September 2 :-Claymore, British steamer, 1,657, W. A. Gulland, Amoy August 31, (7.39 p.m.), General for Naw York. - RUSSELL & Co. Thates, British steamer, 820, W. Y. Hun-

Shipping Orders will be granted until ter, Taiwanioo August 29, Amoy 30, and p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on | Swatow September 1, General.-Douglas the 14th Instant. (Parcels are not to be STEAMBHIP Co. China, German steamer, 1,091, P. Haye, For SAIGON. sent on board; they must be left at the Bangkok August 26, Rice and Teakwood Contents and value of Packages are re--Stemssen & Co. Port Augusta, British steamer, 1,858, J For further particulars, apply at the

Hogg, Victoria, V.I., August 5, General. - For HAIPHONG. -Airlie, British steamer, 1,492, W. Ellis, Sydney Aux. 12, via Brisbane, Townsville. Cairns, Cooktown and Thursday Island;

DEPARTURES Saghalien, for Shanghai and Yokohama. Marcia, for Nagasaki. Raylton Dicon, for Kutchinotzu.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION Atholl, for Saigon. Visayas, for Amoy. Alwine, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Don Juan, for Manila. Kroang Lee, for Shanghai. Cartain Lask, will be despatched as above TO Haitan, for Coast Ports. Namkiang, for Swatow and Amoy. MORROW, the 3rd Instant, at Noon,

Sarthe, for Manila and Iloilo. Ningpo, for Shanghai. Anna Bertha, for San Francisco.

Por Danube, from Haiphong, Mesers Boyes and Granjeein, and 34 Chinese. Per Thales, from Coast Ports, 92 Chinese. Per China, from Bangkok, 22 Chinese. Per Port Augusta, from Victoria, V.I. Dr. and Mrs Lyall, Mr Frank Heglands, and 16 Chinese. Per Airlie, from Sydney, &c., 2 Euro-

PASSENGERS.

eans in steerage, and 39 Chinese. Per Saghalien, for Shanghai : from Marseilles, Mrs Kingsmill, and Mr Romanet; for Saigon, Messrs Martel and Desprez, and 5 Marines; from Hongkong, Mr P. Remedies, Mr and Mrs Harling, Messrs E. von Muller, Ho Ni Bun, L. de Campon, and 10 Chinese. For Kobe : from Hongkong, Mr de Engelbrocht For Yokohama : from Marseilles, Messrs Kauffmann, Kashegawa, Koga, Kobayaski, Mrs M. L. Hoffmann, Misses L. Rondot and L. Delattre, and M. Nirayama; from Singapore, Mr Joseph r from Saigon, 72 Marines; from Hongkoug; Mesars Perkins Dingwall, Stewart, Singer, Ployer, H.E. The Governor of Kra, Messrs

Khaw Too Ghee, Khaw Too Cho, Lorenzo Carles and E. Jalondini Per Atholl, for Saigon, 150 Chinese. Por Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 60 Chinese. Per Alieine, for Hollow, 100 Chinese. Por Visayas, for Amoy, 80 Chinese. Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, 2 Europeans,

and 20 Chinese Per Don Juan, for Manila, Mr Wm. Rocholl, and I Manilaman deck. To DEPART.

Per Haitan, for Swatow, 300 Chinese Per Namkiang, for Swatow, 450 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Port Augusta reports Left Victoria August 5th, at 8.30 p.m. had moderate winds and dense fog until the 10th; then moderate to fresh head wind and cloudy to Yokohama, which was reached on the 22nd August, at 11 am. Left Yokohama on the 24th, at 5 a.m., had light winds and fine. Arrived at Kobe on the 25th, at 11 a.m. Left Kobe on the 28th, at 2.30 p.m. Arrived at Hongkong on the 2nd of September, experienced light winds and

fine weather. The British steamer Airlie roports : Loit Sydney Heads at 8 a.m., August 12th. Called at Brisbone, Townsville, Cairns, Cook town and Thursday Island, leaving the latter port on the evening of the 22nd Aug. Between Sydney and Brisbane, experienced gale from E.N.E. with heavy sea: thence to port moderate winds, -calma and fine weather The steamer Sikh, left Thursday Island for Batavia on the 21st August., Sir. Thomas Brassey and family in his yacht hinbeam, arrived at Thursday Island as the

Airlie was leaving. POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For CHEFOO & TIENTSIN .-

Per Yiksong, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 3rd inst. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Per Japan, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday,

For AMOY & TAMSUL. Per Formost, at 11.30 a.m., or Saturday

For NEW YORK .-Per Claymore, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 3rd Sept. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE .-Per Pathan, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday. the 3rd inst., instead of as previous

ly notified. For SHANGHAL --Per Ningpo, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 3rd inst. For BANGKOK -

Per Glucksburg, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday the 3rd Sept. Per Oxfordshire, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 3rd inst., instead of as pre-

viously notified: Per Danibe, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the

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SEPTEMBER 2, 1887 SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

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+ Depreciation and Insurance Fund.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Noon .- Yiksang leaves for Chefoo, &c.

Noon.-Japan leaves for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. Noon.-Formusa leaves for Amoy, &c. 4 p.m.-Ningpo leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m.-Agamemmon leaves for London. 4 p.m. - Pathan leaves for Sydney, &c. Amusements.

will be the programme :-4 p.m. - Chiarini's Oircus and Monagerie. Jolly Copperamith at East Bowrington. 9 p.m.-Chiarini's Circus and Managerie Canket of Gems'.

at East Bowrington. Miscellaneous. Goods per Tantallon undelivered after

A. S. WATSON & Co.,

this date subject to rent.

OUR NEW SEASON'S. FLOWER & VEGETABLE SEEDS

RE expected by an early Steamer, and the First Surment will be OPENED out for Coast Port Orders soon as weather permits. Complete Parcels are delivered freight paid to any port.

CATALOGUES are NOW READY and may be obtained on application.

THE CELERY AND CYCLAMEN SEEDS, required for early sowing, may

be had at once. A. S. WATSON & Co., LTD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY Hongkong, August 27, 1887.

The publication of this issue commenced at 8.25 p.m.

The China Island.

HONGRONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1887

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ CANALO DUTWARD BOUND :- Harre. August 9 Hindustan, 12; Flintshire, Neckar Olysses, Feechen, 16; Electra, Orestes, 19; Anadyr, Victoria, H. Haarfager, 23; Amphitrite, Glaucus, Ningchow, 26 HOMEWARD BOUND: - James Watt, Aug. 12; Baylet 16; Menetans, Oopack, Ludi

- 23 ; Bengloe, Cyclops, Glenfrum, Glen gyle, Orion, 20. steamship Bokhara, with the English MAIL of August 5th, left Singapore on Wednesday, the 31st August, at a.m., and may be expected here on or This packet brings replies to letters

despatched from Hongkong on Jun Janeiro, with the AMERICAN MAIL of the 13th Aug., is to leave Yokohama on Friday, the 2nd instant, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 8th inst.

The P. & O. satra steamor Zambesi le Singapore on the 27th Aug., at 4 p.m. and may be expected here on or about

The O. S. S. Co. s steamer Surpedon, from London, left Singapore on the 28th Aug., and may be expected here on or about the 3rd Sept. steamship Imperator, from Trieste, left Singapore for this port on the 29th Aug., and may be expected here on or

about the 4th Sept. pore on the 29th Aug., and may be expected here on or about the 4th inst. The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s planation. steamer Moyune left Singapore on the -30th Aug., and may be expected here on or about the 4th Sept. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Diomed, from

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 1st or about the 6th inst. The Glen Line steamer Glenogle, from -London, left Singapore for this port on-

the 1st inst., and may be expected here on or about the 6th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Ajax, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the lat inst., and may be expected here on or about the 7th inst.

LANG CHUN, a hawker, who was brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court fined \$50, with the alternative of months' imprisonment.

A cookie named Wong Sa Chu attempted to commit suicide yesterday by jumping into the harbour. He was taken out by several men who jumped in after him, and was brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court this morning. On Mr Carr, of Messrs Butterfield & Swire, offering to send the man home to Canton, his Worship distantes and Liberton

L'Avenir du Tonkin says M. de Mazas, the chief engineer of the Public Works Department in France, arrived in Tonkin by the last mail and was immediately to set about the study of the proposed railway system in Tonkin. The first route, according to L'Avenir, will be from Hanoi to the sea by way of Dap-cau, the Seven Pagodas and Hon-gay, a route which would bind the capital of Tonkin with the coal basin in the bay of Along and the future deep-water harbour.

Ar the instance of Inspector Hennessy,

coolie named Loung Ashin was brought before Mr Wodehouse, in the Police Court to-day, charged with the murder of Lam A Taio, a man who was brought into the hospital yesterday suffering from a fractura coolie employed there, threw him down. In falling the man's head struck a stone, which canted the fatal injury.

the O. S. S. Co.'s stenmship Ajax, from Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday afternoon, for this port.

By kind permission of Colonel Anderson and the Officers of the 2nd Northamptonshire Regiment, the regimental band will play in the Gardens on Sunday, the 4th inst., from 9 till 10 p.m. The following

JOHN MORAN, Bandmaster.

MAHOMED Abrabam, a retired pensioner of eccentric habits, was charged in the Polico Court to-day, before Mr Wodehouse, with assaulting a widow named Chan A Kuns yesterday. The woman said the defendant was a lodger of hers, and as he was in the habit of wandering about the house in the niddle of the night with a knife in his hand, she yesterday gove him orders quit. On this he struck her three times wonderful speed and sea-going qualities, over the back with a piece of wood. Worship remanded the case, and ordered the defendant in the meantime to be placed under medical supervision.

WE learn that Herr Heinrich Köhler, one of the pisnoforte professors at the Londo Academy of Music, who has been giving very successful recitals both in England and Australia, is expected in Hongkong about a week hence. Herr Köhler, we observe, was performing last week in Singapore to the delight of large audiences. The Singapore Free Press says of him :-We are very pleased to be able to re cord the success of last night's perform-

ance. It was an undoubted treat, and most valuable lesson to all students and lovers of music, especially pianoforte players, at whatever stage of progress they may have arrived. Herr-Kohler is a sole player of the first rank, who could take his place among the artists of Europe on any platform, no matter where, without the least

fear of a cold reception. We trust the eminent pianist will get cordial reception in Hongkong.

JAMES SORAT LUCAS, storekeeper, brought charge of breach of the peace, in the Police Court to-day, against James Wilt- market from that quarter. What we are shire, master mariner, at present in command of a steam-launch lying in Victoria harbour. Complainant stated that the defendant came to his shop on Wednesday other articles rise, but not before. about Monday morning, the 5th Sept. and abused him for writing a note, asking payment of a debt from the engineer of the The P. M. S. S. Co.'s S. S. City of Rio de The defendant said he went with his chr. gineer to the Sesman's Club on Wednesday; and they had not been there more than minute or so whon the complainant, whose shop is immediately opposite, sent over an insulting note to the engineer about the payment of some money. Defendant went over to the shop along with the engineer

plainant said 'I'm a son of a-if I don't summon you for it, and the defendant the realisation of that fantastic conception. merely expressed the opinion that he had A veracious account of the way in which described himself correctly. His Worship (Mr Wodehouse), after hearing the statement of Edward Carey, the engineer, dis-The Union Line steamer Sperre left Singa- missed the case, remarking that he was quite satisfied with the defendant's ex-

Owing to some unfortunate misunderstanding, or to a bit of bungling on the instant, and may be expected here on part of some one, the seat allotted to the representative of the Chamber of Commerce was unocoupied during the meeting of the Legislative Council this afternoon. For some little time past, it has been a subject for speculation whether the Hon. A. P. MacEwen (who has done so well for the Chamber and the community in the absence of the Hon. T. Jackson) could tribunals did not always recognise. Under really be the Chamber's representative while Mr Jackson was in the Colony. This, system. The representations made by the to-day at the justance of Inspector Gauld, however, was merely good humoured, deputation should receive his most careful for keeping a Taz Fa lottery agency, was chaff'; but when Mr Jackson notified, as attention. Sir Lyon Playfair thanked the he did yesterday, that he had resumed of his reply, the post of chief manager of the Hongkong THERE is a homosopathic doctor at Lyons and Shanghai Bank here, the question who has discovered how to change at will assumed a different aspect. While Mr the character of any man; and, what is Jackson merely came and went, like a bird much more difficult, the character of any of passage, it mattered little; but when he settled again amongst us, he once more became the Member of Council who had at last returned from his leave of absence. Mr MacEwen thereupon notified Mr Jackson of his intention to retire, as a matter ber; and he at the same time informed the wice of nux vomica in the food, was never Acting Attorney General that Mr Jackson would resume his seat at the meeting today. When Mr Jackson, however, communicated with the Government on the

him from taking his seat -and a request was made that Mr MacEwen would sit to-day, while the matter would be properly arranged before the next meeting of Council This request did not reach Mr MacEwen until about four o'clock this afternoon, the hour of the meeting; and the result was that the unofficial vote was weaker and the official vote stronger by one member. Who is responsible for the misunderstanding, we cannot may | but it is to be regretted that such a mistake should have been made dued'skull, from the effects of which he died ring an important session like the present. last night. The case was remanded till We think, however, that Mr Mackwen was and Herr Krupp took the opportunity of Monday. The deceased man, it appears, was quite justified in withdrawing from what speaking in high praise of the workman who picking up some bits of cotton near Sassoon's was manifestly a false position; and it is Godowns yesterday when the accused, who is not a little remarkable that the Government itself should have asked Mr MacEwen to retain his seat, even for a day, after Mr Jackson had notified his return,

MESSES Butterfield & Swire inform us that THE few German newspapers which word represented at the naval demonstration publish laudatory accounts of the event, that of the Cologue Gazette being perhaps the most appreciatory.

A NEW discovery is that sea-water may be made drinkable by the use of citrate of silver. By this means chloride of silver is precipitated, and a harmless mineral water. is produced. Au ounce of citrate makes half a pint of water drinkable.

THE works on the Champ de Mars for the exhibition of 1,89 are going on apace. The foundations for several of the large buildings have been laid, and the modern Tower of Babel which is being constructed under he auspices of M. Liffel is gradually rising from the ground. M. Eiffel hopes that it will be finished by October next year. The brat story, about 180 feet in height, will in all probability be completed at the end of

KEEN interest was felt in New York, a corespondent says, in the success of the trial on July 21 of General Paine's new steel sloop the Kolunter. She completely outsailed the New York sloop Priscilla and the ast cutter Bedouin in a four-mile brush off Marble Head in an 18-mile wind. Everybody who saw her behaviour in a splendid run down the coast was amazed at her Mr. Burgess, the designer, is entirely satisfied. He remarked, I said that could make a yacht that would heat the Maylower twolve minutes in a 40-mile race. I think I have dond it.

Various changes are impending in the Japanese diplomatic service in Europe. The Minister to Paris who is one of the wealthiest nobles in Japan, retires from official employment for the present. The Minister to Berlin returns to the position of Court Councillor in Tokic, his place being taken by the Minister to Vienna, who is succeeded by a nobleman without official experience. Vienna and Paris are usually regarded in Japan as ornamental positions for envoys, the real business of Japan with Europe being done in London and Berlin. St. Petersburg is important to Japan only certain events, such as, for instance, when Russia is active on the Coresa frontier. - Overland Mail.

THE Overland Mail of 29th July says :-The silver market still remains steady. though there has been no sudden rise, as some of the financial papers led us to anticipate. Rupse paper, too, keeps its price very well against the adverse tendency in other markets. It is stated that the Chinese Government have ordered such an eno mous quantity of machinery for manufacturing coins that they must contemplate the issue of a tremendous amount of silvercoinage. The dies, however, will take a long time to make, so that we do not look for any immediate effect on the silver wine and expecting to see is a more plentiful supply of gold for the uses of the European world. When the present scramble after the precious metal ceases we may xpect to see the price of silver and all

Ir is not complimentary to men that monkeyst should be set to do their work and aunch of which the defendant has charge. should be found to do it botter. A Rio Janeiro newspaper is responsible for the a atoment that this is being done in Brazil. The story is that upon a large hemp-farm in that country twenty large monkeys have been trained to cut the nemp and to prepare it for market. They are said to be much better operators than negroes, for they work much more rapidly and do not skulk. Moreover, the cost of feeding the monkeys is very an Lord Lytton imagined a condition of society in which all who wished to arrange the matter. Com- the manual work was performed by automata; and the substitution of monkeys for horvesters is perhaps the first step towards the monkeys were trained should be very entertaining reading.

> PROPOSED Tribunals of Commerce. - A deputation from the Chambers of Commerce of the West Riding on July 27 waited upon the Lord Chancellor for the purpose of urging the establishment of Tribunals of Commerce to deal with Commercial cases involving disputed facts and usage requiring special technical knowledge. Sir Lyon Playfair, M.P., introduced the deputation which was accompanied by the following M.P. . Messrs. Gaskell, Courtney, Kenny, Priestley, Sir Edward Green, Wayman, Woodhead, and Horbert Gladstone. The Lord Chancellor, in reply, said the subject was one of very great importance, and it should not be lost sight of. In the ever-varying nature of commerce it might be that there ought to be a degree of clasticity both in the law and in the tribunals which administer the law which perhaps the crystallised form of out the change of circumstances it might be necessary to make some alteration in the Lord Chancellor for the encouraging nature

woman either. It is all a matter of globules. An inconsiderate thriftless husband was transformed into his opposites in forty-eight hours by seven globules of causticum put into his soup. Exactly similar treatment was successful in the case of a gentleman who was too attentive to other people's wives. A husband who was so jealous that he would not allow his wife to go out without him after unconsciously swallowing seven glob-Yet another husband, who was so ill-tempered that he frequently awakened his wife in the dead of the night to have a scene, was rendered worse by lachesis, but was quite cured by saccharum lactis. A young lady of matter and offered to sit, some difficulty or thirty five, who was by far too timid and other was raised some formality precluded retiring for a brazen world, was given some doses of carbo regetalis, and in a few days she acquired (to the delight of her friends) une insolence sans egale. The doctor prides himself particularly upon the schieves. ment; but the development of a taste for mathematics by the administration of a few globules of calcurea carbonica was at least as remarkable. - We suspect this paragraph must have filtered through an American THE German pap re continue to publish numerous ancedotes of the late Herr Krupp. The Vienna Extrablatt gives the following

interesting incident which marked the visit of the Emperor William to the Easen works. The Emperor displayed great interest in the working of the steam hammer. a sure eye, he said, and can stop the falls ing hammer at any moment. A hand might ba placed on the auvil without fear, and he would stop the hammer within a hairs breadth of it. 'Let us try it.' said the Emperor but not with a human hand -try

MEETING OF THE LEGISLA TIVE COUNCIL

thousand mark note.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon. There were present -II. E. Major-General Cameron, Acting Governor His Honour Mr Justice Russell, Acting Chief Justice : Hon. F. Stewart. Acting Colonial Secretary .- Hon. E. J. Acknowle Acting Attorney General; Hon. A: Lietor: Colonial Treasurer ; Hon. J. Price. Surveyor General; Hon. H. G. Thomsett, Harbour Master; Hon, P. Ryrie, Hon. Wong Shing, Hon. J. Bell Irving, Hon, Or P. Chater; and Mr . Gutiorres (Acting Clerk of Councils.)

The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on he-table a minute of the Finance Committoe recommending the Council to vote the sum of \$2,050 for the purchase of 50 Cranks for the use of prisoners in Victoria Gaol. as Crank labour is so much felt, and therefore to effective a deterrent to crime. and consequently so important a consideration, especially with our limited prison ac-

The minute also recommended that the Council vote the sum of \$120 for the salary of a Copying Clork to the Municipal Valuer at the rate of \$40 per month, for 3 months,

the minute be approved, and the resolu- new :tion was agreed to.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS FOR 1886. tain Superintendent of Police for the 13 to issue a notice to the offender stating into the next street above.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH, BILL. The Council resumed consideration of the Public Health Bill.

The subsection is as follows :the commencement of this Ordinance, or of allowed for compliance therewith.

to be measured in cubic feet. Act. 18 and 19 Vic., cap. 122.

the words one half, such half to be mea. Magistrate, such Magistrate shall thereupon measured in cubic feet.' Hon. Mr Bell Irving seconded.

tion to explaining to us what is the

course-I should have to take down the or at order both requiring abate Lent and having a written order and shall be liable to to receive quarters in the Markets.

His Excellency-You would simply mean as the case may be. . very much what it amounts to.

and the basement floor still standing. The Acting Attorney General-In that or building may be let or inhabited.

than one third.

here you may take down one half.

further than that by taking down the half person on whom the order is made.

of buildings against the hillside. we can't be wrong in following this English desirable that such a severe penalty be in-Act. This is the definition of a new build- flicted. The motion was agreed to. ing given there, and if it answers at Home. The Acting Attornov General also subas it must do seeing that it has been in mitted amendments with regard to Sections! existence so long, I think there can be no 62 to 67. Section 62 treating of buildings | Council this afternoon. doubt that it will answer here.

whether there is any mention made of three- building on land obtained from the Crown storey buildings in the amendment of my after the passing of this Ordinance shall not hon. friend at the end of the table, do and to this section was added one of the and what would become of one storey provises formerly in section 63, which was buildings in that case? Nor is there any as follows :mention in this subsection of how many stories a building may have. A division being taken on the amendment

the result was -. Mr Chater Mr Ryrie-4.

The Harbour Master Mr Bell-Irving | The Burveyor General Mr Wong Shing The Colonial Treasurer The Act. Attor. General The Act. Col. Secretary

the lever, stopped it just the sixth of an propose to substitute new articles numbered side, unless.

No. Ackermann, keep the watch in me- The following is a summary of the princimory of an interesting moment. The pal changes made. In section 20, which proworkman, embarrassed; stood with out- vides that the Sanitary Officers or his assiststretched hand, not knowing what to do. auts may enter any promises between 6 a.m. Krupp came forward and took the watch, and 6 p.m. on reasonable presumption that a. saying, I'll keep it for you if you are afraid | nuisance exists the following clause was to take it from his Majesty. A few min- added .- Provided that the Inspecting Officer utes later they again passed the spot, and shall not enter any house or upon any land Krupp said, Now you can take the Em- which may be occupied at the time, unless peror's present from my hand, and handed with the consent of the occupier thereof, Ackermann the watch wrapped up in a without previously giving the said-occupier six hours' notice in writing of his intention to do so. Any person refusing admittance to thesaid Inspecting Officer aftersuch has been given shall be liable to a fine of twenty-five dollars.

Sections 21 and 23 of the old Ordinance were combined and amended as follows. On the receipt of any information respecting the existence of a nuisance the Sanitary Board shall, if satisfied of the existence of a nuisance; serve a notice on the person by whose act, default or sufferance the nuisance arises or continues, or, if such person cannot be found, on the owner or occupier of the premises on which the suisance arises. requiring him to abate the same within a time to be specified in the notice, and to

premises, the Sanitary Board may thom-

year 1886, presented to the Legislative what is required to be done to carry out Council by command of H. E. the Officer | the provisions of such Bye-Laws, and calling lows :-Administering the Government :- (The ex- upon him, to comply with such notice tracts referred to will be found in another within a reasonable time to be stated in the said notice.

old buildings as shall for the purposes 22 has not obtained from the Board a mod- clause be postponed to the next meeting. of reconstruction be taken down to incation or withdrawal of the notice and con- Since I have come into this meeting, I an extent exceeding one half, such half tinues to make default in complying with I have received a letter from one of the was taken from the Metropolitan Building abated since the service of the notice is, in srises from no error of his own, and Hon C. P. Chater I proposed an amend to recur on the same premises, the Sanitary taken place. He was to speak on ment to this sub-section. Sir, before, and Board shull cause a complaint relating to this clause and propose an amendment, life has been allowed to spring up within still - I therefore propose that instead of to such nuisance to be made before a sured in eabic feet' there be substituted lissue a Summons requiring the person, on . the words 'two-thirds, such two-thirds to be | whom the notice was served to appear be- man's request. We want at this table to blown down so as to dangerously obstruct

friend (Mr Chater) would have no object or that the alleged nuisance exists or that valuable information. although the said nuisance is abat dit is . It was afterwards agreed, on the motion of erection on the site, the probability object of his amendment. I don't know likely to recur on the same premises, the of the Attorney General, to postpone the of a fire extending to the Central State and account of the Attorney General, to postpone the of a fire extending to the Central State and account of the Attorney General, to postpone the of the Attorney General, the of the Attorney General whether I correctly conceive what his wish Magistrate shall make an order on such whole of Part VIII.

is in this matter.

Then I the danger is materially increased by the salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and although the evidence of the description clause; Salling Vessels: Andreas, Hedwig, Sin and Salling Vessels: Andreas and Salling Vessel Hon. Mr Chater—As I said before, sup- or shy of the requisitions of the notice, or at next meeting he would move the disapidated state of the adjoining bungas, agreeing to that the broker thereupon took fendant is that no interpretation was Kolga, Meridian, Niederhof, Solidor, Teluen. posing I were desirous of making alterations otherwise to abate the nuisance within a maertion of two new clauses to come lows which were purchased some sixteen on a three-storey building, and that I took | time specified in the order, and to do any in immediately after Olause 71. The years ago for the purpose of supplying. works necessary for that purpose; or an or- first clause was to the effect that ground, so greatly needed for the extension His Excellency—The upper storey, that der prohibiting the recurrence of the nuis- any keeper of a lodging-louse shall, of the Barracks. The want of accommodaance and directing the execution of the at all times that are required of him in tion is now more felt than before as the

roof too, and by taking down the roof and prohibiting the recurrence of the nuisance. a penalty not exceeding \$25 if he rethe upper storey I would have brought my. The Magistrate may, by the order, im. fuses. That clause, he said, was taken self within the meaning of this subsection. pose a penalty not exceeding twenty five from the Metropolitan Act. In section 27 Instead of this I say two thirds, so that dollars on the person on whom the order is there was no power of ascertaining whether any time-selandlord may be inclined to made, and shall also give directions as to a place was overcrowded or not, no right make improvements on his property he the payment of all costs incurred up to the of entry having been obtained. He thereshould be able to do so and not be doing time of the hearing or making the order for fore proposed a new clause that if the anything contrary to the meaning of this obeying the requirements of the Bye-Law Sanitary Board had reasonable ground for for abstement or prohibition of the nuisance | believing that any tenement or domestic

by that the lower storey never would be in 26. Where the nuisance proved to exist is dition they might require, by written danger at all; so that in the construction of such as to render a house or building, in notice, the tenant and if necessary any new building the old basement storey the indement of the Magistrate, unfit for the householder to abate the may remain for ever and ever. That is human habitation, the Magistrate may pro- crowding within a period of one month hibit the using thereof for that purpose until and to show that there was Hon. Mr Chater No, Sir; the basement in his judgment, the house or building is more than the number of persons storey and the first storey would together rendered ht for that purpose; and on the that may be reasonably accommodatbe more than the half of the building, Magistrate being satisfied that it has been ed therein. And after the notice had whereas 'two-thirds' would enable you to rendered fit for that purpose the Magistrate been given to abate, it would be lawful. take down the top storcy and the roof of a may determine his previous order by and to apply to the Magistrate for a summons, three-storey house, leaving the first floor other, declaring the house or building habit and if the tenant failed to prove to the able and from the date thereof such house

say that in a case where there are three comply with the requisition of the Sanitary the nuisance forthwith and make an order storoys, if you take down the top storey Board, and failing to satisfy the Magistrate for the inspection of the house, night and and the roof, it is more than half of the that he has used all due diligence to carry day. These proposed Sections would be building. That is the instance you give out such order shall be liable to a penalty printed and distributed as soon as possible. that if you take down the upper storey and not exceeding ten dollars per day during Part IX was then passed, with the exthe roof it would then become a new house. his default; and any person knowingly ception of Section 85, which was postponed I say it does not; if there are two stories re- and wilfully acting contrary to an and section 84 which was struck out. maining, you don't take down the half-of order of prohibition shalf be liable to The Acting Attorney General and a penalty not exceeding twenty-five the Ordinance originally provided Hon Mr Chater-You take down more dollars per day during such contrary the election of two members for the action; moreover the Sunitary Board may The Acting Attorney General-Yes, but enter the premises to which any order relates and abate the nuisance and do what. No provision was therefore required for. The Surveyor General-My hon, friend ever may be necessary in execution of such these elections or regulations for mak-(Mr Chater) may take down his roof and order and recover in a Summary manner

the meaning of this subsection. If my that in sections 27, 28, and 29, which had hon friend means simply to keep outside been postponed at a previous meeting, the carrying out the election Ho-would there. cross was the complainant's signature. Suppose the house is destroyed by the this case could never have come into Court. the Bill by only taking down the upper clause stating a minimum fine not less than fore move a new article next week that The money was still in the bank. Witness clements or fire. The clerk replied that Judgment for plaintiff, storey and the roof, he certainly succeeds. five dollars be omitted. The motion was the proceedings connected with the elec- did not see any sign of the complainant was the lessor's business. Then he says he The Acting Attorney General. There is agreed to. He also moved the omission of tion should be according to the rules in being giddy to far as witness saw he ap- said What about the police rates etc.? one other remark I wish to make. The section 30, which provided that the penalmatter was considered sometime ago and ties under sections 27 and 28 shall be we determined to insist on this in deemed completive in any case where the view of the modifications which we are commission of any of the offences to which prepared to make respecting the abutting the same are applicable should occa. week. sion a nuisance within the meaning of The Acting Chief Justice-It seems to me the Ordinance. He said it was not

abutting on the hill side was aftered to His Excellency-I am not quite sure read 'hvery person who shall prect a new

> Any basement story designed for cellar year 1885. age or purposes other than human habita. The Oriminal Statistics show that 8,836 tion may abut against the hill-side to the cases were reported to the Police during extent of the height of such basement story.' 1886, being an increase of 2,061 cases or

63. In the case of land obtained from the (so called) and Miner Offences, an increase. Orown before the passing of this Ordinance. of 34 cases or 1.37 per cent, is found in every person who shall erect any new build- Serious Orimes, and an increase of 2,027 ing on a site which has been excavated out cases or 47.04 per cent, in Minor Offences. Burks.

The sub-section accordingly became part of a slope or ductivity shall leave a clear in Three murders took place. Two blind tervening space or area of at least four feet | mendicants were attacked near Shaukiwan. the anvil. Down came the immense mass The Acting Attorney General -With re- between such new building along its whole and one murdered. The hunce of the asof steel, and Ackermann, with his hand on spect to articles 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, I extent and the too of the slope of the hill- sailants were quickly known, but the men

> than human-habitation, or. ed from both streets, or.

hill-side is carried up to such a height Burglaries. Robberies with violence and above the level of the ground outside Piracy; and the other serious crimes call as will-admit of the construction in for no special remark.) In one case. such abutting wall of one or more win- ever, gold coin to the value of nearly one shall be lighted and ventilated by tive.

clear that the nuisance does not arise culties. The Hon. gentlemen apparently returned without result. or continue by the act, default or suffer. think so, as they make no observations. ance of the owner of occupier of the think you must be perfectly aware that this is a very liberal concession, although selves abate the same without further I do not think that it is a concession that departs from any principle of the hill. The following Sections with regard to the have visited these houses myself, and

The Acting Colonial Secretary moved that right of appeal &c. are almost entirely I have found that there are a number 22, It shall be lawful for the Sanitary | that ventilation is very easily ensured. In Board in any case where there is a con- a great many of these houses the people. The Colonial Secretary also laid on the travention of any of the requirements of had of their own accord secured ventilation table extracts from the report of the Cap- any of the Bye-Laws made under Section by means of a hole which they had made no less than eight having died. In addi-

the Crown after the passing of this Ordin-23. If the person served with notice ance shall provide along the entire back under Section 21 or 22 is dissatisfied with of such building if one storied a clear space such notice it shall be lawful for him within forming a back-yard of at least ten feet in The Acting Attorney General said sub- the time therein specified to apply to the width, if such building be of two or more section 3 of section 11 had been allowed to Board to review the same, stating the stories he shall cause the width of such stand over for further consideration and he ground of his application, and the Board back yard to be at least afteen feet. The and shall confirm, modify, suspend or dis. three storied he shall cause the width of New Building - Any structure begun after charge the said notice, or extend the time such back-yard to be at least twenty feet. being omitted.

carried higher than the footings, or such been served in pursuance of Sections 21 or -I propose that the consideration of this the opinion of the Sanitary Board, likely there is no doubt some mistake has From the experience gained in severe consideration of it.

have full discussion, and I should be very some of the main throughfares. 25. If the Magistrate is satisfied that the sorry to go on with the Bill in the absence

Hon. Mr Chater. The upper storey of works necessary to prevent the recurrence : his licence, give, free access to any person Force is larger and fourteen men have ceased building was in an overcrowded con-

satisfaction of the Magistrate that the house was not overcrowded, the Magiscase it would not be a new building. You 27. Any person not obeying an order to trate might make an order to abate

Sanitary Board by the Chamber Commerce and the Justices of the Peace. ing out the list. As it had now been elected by the ratepayers who were on the schedule of this Ordinance. He had drawn out these regulations, which would be printed and circulated.

ORIMINAL STATISTICS FOR 1886. The following are the extracts from the report of the Captain Superintendent of Police laid on the table of the Legislative

POLICE OFFICE, Hongkong, 22nd Jan., 1887. I have the honour to forward for the information of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government details of the Police Establishment, the list of Pensioners and the Criminal Statistics for the

Section 63 was altered to read as fol. 30.42 per cent, on the return for 1885. In the subdivision of these cases Serious Crimes

took roluge in Chinese Territory, not with-(1) The basement story of such new out, it is supposed, the assistance of the building is intended for purposes other Triad Society. In the two remaining cases the presumed, culprits were arrested, and (2.) Such building is situated at the in- of their actual guilt there was little moral tersection of two streets, and the base- doubt, but the evidence adducible was not ment story thereof is properly ventilat. deemed sufficiently conclusive to justify a conviction at the Supreme Court. (3.) The basement wall abutting on the . There was a decrease in the number of

means of grated openings or areas on I In the Minnr Offences the principal note-Crown land, the permission for the worthy case was the prosecution of fifty one Mr. Caldwell and were arranged in Mr. Caldwell's room. I N.E. I N. or N.E. Cor. Mag., and to steer erection of such areas on Crown land Chinese Constables. Information was given Wilkinson, appeared for the plaintiff, and can't remember whether the clerk was there. that till 1 a.m. to be entirely at the discretion of the by a man that on a certain day some Constab es would receive bribes for affording Stokes, for the defendant. (4) The basement story of such new protection to Gambling Heases. The Offifrontage of which shall face on a public brought conclusive evidence that some fifty

alongside Observation Point Pier, which should be lengthened, unless it is considerprofitable to extend the Praya.

cases had to be temporarily abandoned.

A Board held an inquiry into allegations concerning the Triad Society and evidence was given that tended to show that it exer-Colony with a baneficial results.

posed offender resides on the premises.

typhoons, it appears that a grave danger to. overhead telegraphic wires. It would be His Excellency-I have the greatest quite contrary to what might be expected. pleasure in acceeding to the Hon. gentle- if in a bad, typhoon these wires are not

The Roman Catholic Cathedral hav-

W. M. DEANE, Capt. Superintendent of Police. Police Office: Hongkong, 22nd January, 1887.

THE SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A TRADER.

to-day at the Magistracy in connection with spoke to him thus: '\$240 payable in ad- in reality it is no hardship-it is a disapthe charge brought by Young Ming, late vance' (meaning no doubt monthly) 'in- pointment, but in what?-in not successfully cigar merchant, New York, against Lam Chi | duding taxes for 3 years Tsang Sam security, | evading the payment of a just claim-a Shang, plede goods dealer. The charge, it is that the way it is made out? and that claim which has no doubt been outs andwill be remembered, was that of administer- the clerk replying 'yes,' he signed it though | ing for a considerable time, but as it aping a stupefying drug to the complainant he saw the olerk only looked at the front pears to me a delay under circumstances and swindling him out of \$3900 while under page of the lesso. In cross-examination he which have been duly accounted for, the influence of the drug.

I have to send some money to America. brother Antonio at the office of Messrs them, and he has offered no evidence to fendant's name. Witness did not speak to about the terms.) 'He did not come over jumbusiness-like and careless to have let there. Witness did not notice anything He deposes that defendant asked him to be tion that has been given, and I do not think peculiar about the complainant. He asked surety and told him that he was to be it ought to interfere with the plaintiff's apper storey; and still he may even go the expenses incurred by them from the decided that the two members should be his consent to change the note and he surety for \$240 per month for three years; chaim. There is one other observation which nodded his head. On the old note there taxes were not spoken about; and that I would make on the case, and it is this, that of the next storey without coming within The Acting Attorney General then moved the jury-list it was necessary to provide was a cross, which was necessary to provide was nec some regulations and machinery for witness's presence. Defendant said the defendant had signed it, he said to him peruse the lease on the defendant's behalf peared all right. Witness had remarked, The clerk replied 'There are none.' Then however, that he did not talk at all that he says he signed. That completed the morning as he had done on former occa- evidence for the defendant. The plaintiff. The Council then sadjourned to this day sions. He had not remarked that he ap- José Remedios, twas then called, and depeared giddy, but thought he did remark posed that the terms for the lease had not that he did not seem to know what he was been settled at all with him or his brother Sabout. His only reason for making that Antonio, but with their brother Maximiano. had done on former occasions. It was only as his nominee and because he lives in Master S.S. Fokien; and T. P. Hall, Master

visits to Hongkong. After further evidence the case was re-

A VERY great part of the mischiefs that soon forget the meaning, but the impression and the passion remain. - Edmand Macao and that he had arranged the terms The Court having regard to the above week.

manded for a week.

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. Before His Honour Mr A. J. Leach. Acting Puime Judge) Friday, Sept. 2.

J. A. DOS REMEDIOS C. KUM HOK TING-Judgment was given in this case, in which | think the broker went with us; by "us" I | vent the accident. peet of tenements Nos. 214 to 224. Holly defendant) confirmed the inter you took. for the Master to femain on deck. wood Road, from August 1884 to July 1887, You spoke in Uhinese, which I understand; That between 11 p.m. and 1:30 a.m. heavy inclusive, in virtue of a leave, dated 31st. you were to prepare the deed. My instruct rain came on, but up to 12 p.m. the Chief dows opening from the basement story thousand pounds, that had been stolen, was July 1884. The plaintiff's full claim in tions were a lease for 3 years commencing Officer did not think it necessary to call directly into the external air or where entirely recovered within three days by the respect of the matter aforesaid is \$1379.03, the 1st August 1884, at a monthly rent of the Master. this is impracticable the busement story perseverance and ability of a Chinese detech but he waives \$379.03 thereof in order to \$240 free of all taxes except ground rent. bring the suit on ler the Summary Juris- In cross-examination he further says, in charge of the watch and received orders diction of the Court

> Mr Johnson, of Messrs Sharp, Johnson and We first agreed together-I, and the de-Hist Lordship said :- In this suit the nose and sometimes I spoke to the broker not come on deck.

premises are insured, the standing Govern and his surety attested by Mr Caldwell, and were partly given by the defendant and and Engineers after the ship struck was ment Orders to the Police are that any what is known as the interpretation clause is repeated by Mr Maximiano Remedies, and worthy of all praise. prosecution for arson should be initiated by added which is signed by Sin Hon, formerly Mr Caldwell went through them item by That the pative fishermen, at Rees Island. the requirements of such notice, or, in the Hon. members, Mr MacEwen, informing the Insurance Company affected. This is The Acting Attorney General said this case of a nuisance, if the same although me that his absence from this meeting assumed to apply to cases when the sup. the defendant and his surety in the Chinese the rates and taxes were to be paid. The cost of this Court, amounting in all language. It is therefore clear beyond by him, and after acquiescing in the to \$60.53, be borne as follows: \$10.28 by argument that under the lease the lessee terms, he added, but I will not pay the owners of the S. S. Tientsin, and of the was and is bound to pay or discharge the the ground rest'-an observation that was remainder \$25.15 by the master and \$25.15. I am inclined to be of the same opinion the non-compliance with the said notice or and I ask Your Excellency to postpone the the last few years by the multiplication of present claim unless he can establish his uncalled for, if the defendant had not by the owners. special defence. The evidence in the case known he was to pay the taxes, but peras to the persons' who on the plaintiff's feetly consistent with the fact that he had behalf actually and definitely settled the just been told and had agreed to pay them. terms of the lease and as to what those terms | Mr Caldwell admits that when the de-

were is in direct conflict. On the part of the fendant came to execute the lease he gave defence, the defendant was himself first instruction to Sin On, his clerk, who is not The Surveyor General Perhaps my hon, requirem int of the Sanitary Board is legal of an Hon. gentleman who could afford ing been pulled down and a large num called. His evidence amounted to this, that now in the Colony, to explain the lease to ber of houses being in the course the parties were brought together by a bro- the defendant and I think I must assume kernamed Kok Hum Hon who, the defend- that was done first, because he would him to the office of Messrs Remedios & Jo, made, I feel, having regard to the unreliawhere he saw the plaintiff and his brother bility of his evidence in other respects, that Antonio, and that the broker interpreted I can place no confidence in the defendant's for them and that the terms agreed upon version of what took place, between him were that the lease should be for 3 years at and the tierk. I have come to the conclu-\$240 per measem inclusive of taxes. The sion that there was no misrepresentation, in witness then says be wont with the plaintiff fact that there was no mistake as to what the to Mr Caldwell's office, where he spoke to terms of the lease were to be; and I hold Mr Caldwell's clerk or interpreter and re- upon the evidence that those terms were peated to him the above terms, and the within the knowledge of the defendant and olerk told him to come back in a week or inserted with his concurrence, and therefore two. when the lease would be ready for the covenant to pay the taxes is not com-Caldwell's wiffice, sees the same clerk who has been said during the hearing that the told him the leas; was ready, and says defendant has suffered a hardship; it may Mr Wodehouse heard further evidence with reference to the contents of it, that he be the disappointment is hard to bear but absolutely denies that it was Mr Maximiano It is only necessary for me to refer to one Mr Wilkinson appeared for the complain- Remedies, and reiterates that it was the other point in the case which at first oreated ant and Mr Dennys for the defendant. plaintiff who took him to Mr Caldwell's some difficulty in my mind. I allude to the Kwok Tung; master of the Sui Kut bank, office: he denies that Mr Caldwell spoke to fact that all the receipts for the rent given said the complainant deposited 2500 in his him in Chinese either on the first or second by the plaintiff or his brother Antonio, exbank on the 13th of July. On the 12th of occasion when he went there, or that he cept the last one put in evidence, contained August he came to get a month's interest waw Mr. Caldwell take a note of or write words to the effect that the taxes were infor the money. He next saw him on the down anything on the first occasion when cluded, and to the fact that no rates were morning of the 16th; on that occasion he he went about the terms of the lease. The demanded until the lease was expiring. The CHINA COAST METEOROLOG was accompanied by other two men, one of broker was next called, and as to the defendant, however, could not be prejudiced whom was the defendant. The defendant fire offer of \$240 per month, taxes in by the words of the receipts which were in said 'I am having some business with cluded for 3 years, and as to the first English, because, as he says, he understands Young Ming, in soliding goods to America, interview with the plaintiff and his no English, and therefore could not read He then handed witness the depo- Remedios & Co., he confirms the de- show he was misled-nor was he induced sit note and usked him to change fendant's evidence in every particular, and in any way to alter his position, nor did he it to his (defendant's) name. Witness took he adds 'Mr Maximiano Remedios had no alter it by reason of the plaintiff not deback the hotp and gave a note with the de- share in the talking whatever' (that is, manding the rates sooner. It was no doubt the complainant. The complainant said (i.e., from Macaq) about the business. these rates accumulate as they did, but, on nothing to anybody all the time he was Tsang Sam, the surety, was next called the whole I am satisfied with the explana-

when witness heard of the affair afterwards Macao, the plaintiff had signed the lease. that he suspected that the complainant did He also gave an emphatic dental to the H. B. M. Consulate, yesterday, to enquire not know what he was about devidence of the defendant and his witness into the cause of the loss of the Tien-By Mr Denoys If the defendant had as to their having settled the terms with thin on Rees Island, on the morning of the wished it he could have got cash there and him and his brother, the plaintiff. He 25th instant, and after a patient hearing. then instead of a new deposit note. Wit. denies that he ever commissioned the the following is the finding :ness did not know of any reason for taking brother to make any offer to the defendant, It appears from the evidence given before heit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths s new deposit except to get interest. The but he admitts he told him he might get this Court that the Tienter's sailed from and hundredthe. Tong Tuk Chan had large dealings with himes tenant if he could, and having done Swatow on the 24th August, bound for 2. Taxessaress, la the shide in degree witness's firm but he did not know if the so be paid him subsequently a commission Shanghai, with a cargo of sugar and sun- Februaheit. complainant lived with that firm during his of 1 per cent. on the monthly rentals of the dries, and a crew, 31 hands all told and

then called and deposed that he lived at where she became a total wreck.

of the lease in the first instance with the circumstances find as follows ."

building consists of one single shop the cars deputed to inquire into the case plaintiff claims payment of \$1,000 from the in the Macaonse dislect; the terms were as defendant for rates and taxes in respect of I have already stated ; those terms were the course to N.E. 4 E. Cor. Mag. thoroughfare and shall be open to the men received money to the extent of about certain houses in Hollywood Road in virtue repeated to Mr. Caldwell in the presence. That at 1.30 a.m. the Tientein struck on external air from the floor to the ceil ten cents or three pence a piece, but they claim under the lease is for \$1,379.03, but of Mr. Caldwell himself, the evidence of the sea breaking over her, her bottom sidering the notorious bad character of the in order to bring the claim within the Sum- plaintiff and his brothers Maximiano and pierced in many places by the rocks where-Sections 64 and 65 were adopted as in the informant, to prove the object for which many Jurisdiction of the Court, the plaintiff Antonio cast grave doubt on the trustworthi- by she became full of water. old ordinance. Section 66 was slightly the money was paid. The charge therefore now seeks to recover \$1,000 only. On the ness of the defendant's evidence and his witexecute such works and do such things as modified to read.— The floor of every area- divindled down into one of receiving money part of the defendant, the lessee, a special nesses, and if it does not raise a grave an attempt to lower a boat without orders. may be necessary for that purpose: Pro. and of every basement story shall be pro- without authority contrary to the Police defence has been filed based on two suspicion it at any rate clearly points to the but through an accident to one of the perly asphalted: &c. &c. To Section 67 Regulations. The conviction was quashed grounds:—(1) that he executed the lease fact that the memory of the defendant and tackle, one and of the beat fell in the water First. That where the nuisance arises from there was added the Clause: No bridge or on appeal. In consequence of this case the upon the misrepresentation that the relied upon either immersing some of those on board, one of the want or defective construction of dight of stops shall be placed over any security required for the good behaviour of referred to included the taxes; (2) that the as to the person with whom the negocial whom the Steward, Sze A-pac, was drown. any structural—convenience, or where window opening into such area. The Sec- Chinese Constables in the Land Force has covenant in the lease to pay the taxes was tions were carried on or as to the terms ed. The rest were houled on board the any structural—convenience, or where window opening into such area. The Secretics in the Land Force has there is no occupier of the premises, tions were passed without comment. Showledge and authority of the defendant brothers on the other hand all point to That in the morning the crew and to meet the objections that have been made Breaches of the Opium Ordinance show and that it was contrary to the agree-Secondly. That where the person causing the with regard to places like Jervois Street an increase of 686 cases. A number of ment between the parties. The defendance have forgotten what took and that there was no further loss of life. nuisance cannot be found, and it is and we think that we have met the diffi- search warrants have also been issued and ant also denied all knowledge as to place or have wilfully misrepresented it. That the crew and passengers were taken whether the amount of the tages was pro- At one time I thought there might possibly away by the S. S. Hoihow, at which time The foreshore between No. 2 Station and perly stated. The lessor having according be some mistake in the identity of the two it was seen that the Tientein was a total East Point has silted up in a way that ma- ly proved the amount of the taxes to my brothers, José and Maximiano; but, though loss, the entire ship being under the water terially affects the utility of the Patrol satisfaction and having also proved that Jose and Autonio might be mistaken for at high tide. Launches. The smallest launch drawing 4 they had been paid into the Colonial Trea- one another, Maximiano bears little (if This Court is therefore of opinion that feet 6 inches cannot now at low water go sury, I held that the onus lay on the de- any) resemblance in his appearance to his the master (Cuthbert Hodgson) was justifendant to establish his special defence. In brothers. However, the ovidence of Mr fled in going below when he did, but the the view I take of the evidence in the case Caldwell places the matter beyond all rea- Court consider that he is to be censured for of them of small depth of 15 feet or so, and ed that it would be more advantageous and it is unnecessary for me to deal with the sonable doubt or controversy. It is con- not giving orders to be called when the different questions of law that were raised clusive as to the terms finally agreed upon, course was to be changed, and this Court I regret that the mortality among the during the hearing. By the lease, the and it is conclusive as to the persons who consures him accordingly. European Police has been unusually heavy, counterpart of which was put in evidence made these terms, and although it may not This Court is further of opinion that on tion the cases of fever were especially bears date the 31st July 1884 and is made who carried on the negotiation prior to their hand or patent log, but the absence of a Section 70 was amended to read as fol- numerous and severe. The Force was between the plaintiff, on the 1st part, one coming to his office, the inference is very log did not in this case contribute to the therefore in the Autumn from these causes Tsang Sam (as surety for the defendant), strong that the same person (Maximiano) loss of the vessel. '70. Every person who shall erect a do- and from the dismissal of the Chinese, one on the 2nd part, and the defendant to his office, was That we are of opinion that it would have mestic building upon land obtained from hundred men below its effective strength. 3rd part, the property in question was de-Whitfeild Statish from the number of lever mised to the defendant for a term of three of the lease before that time; and it follows officer, to have taken a bearing of the years from the 1st August, 1884, at the that the defendant's evidence and that of Lamocks before losing sight of it. clear monthly rent or sum of \$240 free his witness, the broker, is wholly unrelia. That the 2nd mate, John Cannon, is to and clear of all taxes, assessments, rates ble in that respect. Mr Caldwell's evid- be gravely consured for not taking measures and charges whatsoever, municipal or other- ence was to this effect :- On the 22ad July, to see that the master was properly atoused cised a dangerous influence; twelve of the wise, now or hereafter to be imposed, 1884, Mr Maximiano Remedios, accompa- whon the weather continued thick with Head men have been banished from the assessed or charged * * * (the ground nied by the defendant, came to Mr Cald- rain, and-we consure him accordingly. rent excepted). The lease also con- well's office in reference to the lease. Mr That we see no reason to find any fault Fires are now of very frequent occurrence tains an express covenant by the lessee Caldwell took down on a slip of paper with the Engineers of the S. S. Tientin on and interfere with the general Police Work to pay all manner of police, lighting. (which cannot now be found) notes for the this occasion. owing to the Fire Brigade being so largely water, and other rates, taxes, assessments, purposes of the draft lease. The version That the death of the Staward was not which the enclosing waits have not been 24. If the person on whom a notice has - On coming to section 71, Mr. Chater said manned from this Force. It may be as charges and impositions whatsoever. The of the instructions given were correctly lowing to any fault of the officers. well to recall to notice the fact, that where lease is signed by the lesser and the lessee stated by Mr. Maximiano. Remedies, they That the conduct of the Master, officers

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A Naval Court-composed of Consul C. F. R. Allen. President: and William remark was because he did not speak as he | who lived at Macao, and on whose behalf | Gulland, Master S. S. Claumore: J.S. Roach? S. S. Formosa, Assessors—was held; at

property; but he further denies that he passengers and compradore's staff, bringing hamidity of air salar ted with maintain being discussed the terms of the lease with the up the total of all on board to 70 persons. broker. Antonio Remedios, re-called, the That on the morning of the 25th of had already given evidence of the amount August after midnight there was thick and and payment of the taxes to the Colonial runy weather, and the steamer, not being on Treasurer) denied that he took any part as the course where the Master and officers tached downs, d drizzling rain, tog, y gloomy,

broker in Macao, who had brought him After taking the departure from the offers from Hongkong, that he then came | Lamock Island Light bearing South } West over to Hongkong and settled the torne listant 4 miles, a course North East corwith the defendant at Messrs Remedies rect Magnetic was steered till 1 a.m. on & Co.'s office; where everything was the 25th, when it was altered to North East definitely arranged, the brother was there 1 East, correct Magnetic, but a strong and sometimes acted as interpreter. He correct and South East swell set her tothen says, in answer to Mr. Cald- wards the land and caused her to run on well. the negociation began about noon and Rees Island, which, owing to the rainy and about 3 p.m. we went to your office. I dark night, was not sighted in time to pre-

Mr José Antonio des Remedies (of the firm mean the defendant and myself, and then That the Master went below at 10.30 of Remedios & Co.) claims payment of you drew a memorandulu; you got your p.m. on the 24th at which time the weather \$1,000 for rates and taxes payable in res- instructions from me, He (meaning the was not so thick as to render it necessary

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